

CERTIFICATE OF MAILING

I HEREBY CERTIFY THAT THIS CORRESPONDENCE IS BEING DEPOSITED
WITH THE UNITED STATES POSTAL SERVICE AS FIRST CLASS MAIL IN AN
ENVELOPE ADDRESSED TO: ASSISTANT COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS,
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20231, ON MARCH 23, 2000.



AGENT/ATTORNEY FOR APPLICANT

AGENT/ATTORNEY FOR APPLICANT

March 23, 2000

DATE _____

MAR 30 2000

Attorney Docket No. 1199

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: Todd E. Piper

Date: March 23, 2000

Serial No.: 09/491,596

Group Art Unit:

Filed: January 25, 2000

Examiner:

For: "INBRED MAIZE LINE PH54H"

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

FILING OF AN INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.97(b)

The attached list of citations on PTO Form 1449 is being submitted under the provisions of 37 C.F.R. §1.56 and §1.97(b) in order to comply with the duty of disclosure. Their inclusion herein should not, however, be construed as an admission that any particular cited reference is effective prior art or that it discloses or renders obvious any aspect of the claimed invention. A copy of each cited reference is enclosed. This statement is being filed within the time period specified in 37 C.F.R. §1.97(b). No fee is required.

Respectfully submitted,

John M. Bromist

Jean M. Bromert

Attorney for Applicant(s)

Registration No. 42,362

PIONEER HI-BRED INTERNATIONAL, INC.
Corporate Intellectual Property
7100 N.W. 62nd Avenue
P.O. Box 1000
Johnston, Iowa 50131-1000
Phone: (515) 253-5870
Facsimile: (515) 334-6883